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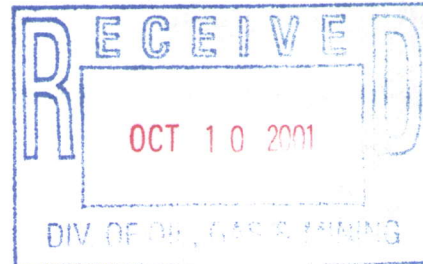
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Date 10-8-01

To:

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**Subject: Exploration Release – E-45-132 – Skull Valley, Utah**

Dear Tom,

Please release Holnam from its Exploration Permit for diatomaceous earth (E-45-132) and replace it with Holnam's SMO Permit application S-45060.

If you have any questions, please advise.

Thank you,

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Tom Newman  
Sr. Geologist

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